



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Oorschot Examiner: Holman, John D.
Serial No.: 10/511,287 Group Art Unit: 3643
Filed: October 14, 2004 Docket: 294-200 PCT/US/RCE
Confirmation No: 1861 Dated: May 30, 2008
For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
COLLECTING ANIMALS IN
OR ON A WATER BOTTOM

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner,
mailed December 3, 2007, finally rejecting Claims 1-3, 5, 6, 9-11, 13-15, 17, 20, and 23.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of

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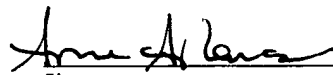
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Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

<input type="checkbox"/>	small entity	\$255.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	other than small entity	\$510.00

Notice of Appeal fee due **\$510.00**

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

(complete (A) or (B), as applicable)

- (A) ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

	Extension (months)	Fee for Other than <u>Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 460.00	\$ 230.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 1,050.00	\$ 525.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,640.00	\$ 820.00

Fee due for indicated extension **\$1,050.00**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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- ☐ An extension for __ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$ ____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

- (B) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

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TOTAL FEE DUE **\$ 1,560.00**

5. FEE PAYMENT

☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$ ____.

☒ Charge Account No. 08-2461 the sum of \$ 1,560.00

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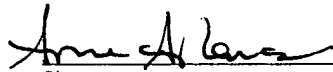
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